

CHAPTER 6—LIST OF PREPARERS AND REVIEWERS

As required by National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) regulations (40 Code of Federal Regulations [CFR] § 1502.17), this section lists the people primarily responsible for preparing this Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) and presents their qualifications. Booz Allen Hamilton, a contractor selected to prepare the EIS as directed by the Bureau of Land Management (BLM), has, in accordance with 40 CFR 1506.5(c), certified that it does not have any financial or other interest in the decisions to be made pursuant to this EIS. In addition to being responsible for the projects and areas listed, many BLM employees also contributed substantial time consulting with other agency personnel in preparing this EIS (refer to Section 5.2, Agency Consultation and Coordination).

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